

of the traffic in all intoxicating liquors." I labored for the suppression of intemperance, until I sacrificed my health and my little property in the glorious cause. My labors, with the Divine aid, were attended with partial success.—The efforts of individuals, however zealous, were not equal to the mighty task. The United Kingdom Alliance strikes at the very root of the evil. I trust in God the associated efforts of so many good and benevolent men will effectually crush a monster, gorged with human gore."

From the Louisiana Record.
Whig Organs and Col. Benton.

We have avoided heretofore, so far as was consistent with a proper independence of thought, engaging in the disputes of the St. Louis papers; but it seems next to impossible longer to maintain that position. The toadyism and truculent subserviency of the Intelligencer to the Anti-Benton wing of the Democratic party has led that sheet into follies, and denunciations of other Whig papers, that forbid longer silence on topics about which there should be no dispute among Whigs, and about which there never has been any dispute among genuine, right-minded Whigs.

A late number of that paper declared that, "Col. Benton has, in Missouri, two sorts of organs. The one are Democratic and the other his Whig organs."

With all due respect to the "ancient maidens" that preside over the destinies of that dignified sheet, we should like to know the papers that are designated as Col. Benton's Whig organs? We are aware that the Intelligencer and Republican have substantially applied that epithet to the Evening News; but the Intelligencer speaks in the plural. Now what other sheets entitled to this euphonious and complimentary appellation? The papers of the country have a right to demand that the Intelligencer shall be a little more explicit.

But why are the Whig papers—the true, genuine, old-fashioned, constitutional Whig papers, thus denounced? Why, we ask, is this done? Is it because the Evening News, and most other Whig papers in the State, have manfully resisted the trading proclivities of those two mammoth concerns, and have under all circumstances, maintained the integrity of the Whig party of the State and Nation? Is it because these papers have refused to enter into an alliance with either wing of the Democratic party, for the sake of the spoils of office? Is it because they have stoutly refused to suffer inconsistencies and false doctrines to be ingrafted on the Whig creed, for the sake of retaining and maintaining an under-ground communication with such men as C. F. Jackson, J. B. Clark, Jos. S. Green, and others of that class of politicians? Is it because the genuine Whig papers of the country consistently supported such men as Edward Bates for the Vice Presidency, and for other similar stations, as the true representatives of sound Whig principles, in opposition to the peculiar views of a few such malcontents as the editors of the Intelligencer and Republican?

Come, gentlemen, have a care. The Whigs of the country have no sympathy with your combinations—your "People's Tickets," your "Mule Tickets," by which to secure official patronage. They demand an earnest, hearty support of principle, and will discard all false lights. Again we say, have a care.

From the Louisville Courier, May 9th.
Ohio River News.

The river was slowly falling yesterday, with 7 feet 1 inch water in the canal, and 4 feet 10 inches water in the pass on the falls through the Indiana chute.

The drudge or mud boat Geo. W. Jones, started over the falls yesterday on her way to the Upper Mississippi. She is in charge of Commodore Barney, and her first effort will be to endeavor to clean out the harbor at Dubuque, Iowa, on the Upper Mississippi. She was conducted under the direction of the Topographical Bureau, for the improvement of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri and Arkansas rivers. The hull was built by D. J. Howard, the engines and machinery by Wm. H. Grainger.

MORE STEAMBOAT DISASTERS.—We learn from Mr. Smith, clerk of the Telegraph, that the old steamer Hiram Powers, of Cincinnati, but of late a Wabash packet, was burnt while wooding 33 miles above the mouth of that river. She was laden with pork in hids, bulk meat, tobacco, and a part of the wreck of the steamer Brito. She was bound for Pittsburg. The boat took fire in the afterdeck room, at 10 a. m., Saturday, and burnt to the water's edge. She was scuttled, and sunk with 61 feet water at her bow, and 9 feet at her stern. A great part of the pork may be saved. No lives were lost.

The steamer Cabinet has been tied up at the

wharf at the suit of some one at Carrollton who had lost a negro man that died after having worked on the boat. It was stated that the negro was over-worked.

Louisville and Nashville Packets.—We are glad to learn that the establishment of this line is in rapid progress, and likely to be "put through" with despatch. Its obvious importance, and the energy with which it is being prosecuted, we hope are ample guarantees of success.

JOHN S. THOMSON,
WHOLESALE GROCER.
Nos. 20 and 22 Second street, near Post Office.
St. Louis, Mo. 1853.

HAS in store and in receipt of the following desirable stock of Groceries, which is offered at the lowest market rates for prompt pay:
600 lbs N. O. and C. M. sugar, 300 lbs C. M. do.
1000 pkgs M. R. raisins, 3000 drums kine figs.
50 cases Zante currants, 50 cases dates.
50 cases prunes, 50 cases do. in glass.
100 lbs S. S. almonds, 25 do H. S. do, 25 do filberts.
25 lbs English walnuts, 25 do cream nuts.
4000 kegs nails, 4 to 64, 500 do blued 2 and 2 1/2 nails.
500 do fence do 6, 8 and 10, 350 do brad do 6, 8 and 10.
100 do finishing do, 6, 8 and 10, 100 do wrought do.
75 do spikes, 4 to 7 in, 150 bxs racks, 4 to 14 oz do.
500 bags cotton yarn, 200 do dozen do.
150 bags white cat pet warp, 100 do cold do do.
400 bales baling, 200 do candle wick.
300 do wrapping twine, 500 lbs mackerel, 1, 23, and 300 half bbls mackerel, Nos. 1, 2 and 3.
100 bbls roe herrings, 500 bxs sealed do.
50 cks Eng. coffee, 50 do Grand Bank do.
1200 bxs codfish, 100 lbs each, 20 bbls No. 1 salmon.
200 cases Baltimore Cove oysters.
50 cases sardines, wholes. half and quarters.
50 bbls pecan nuts, 100 bags pea nuts.
1000 bushels dried apples, 500 do dried peaches.
60 bxs tallow candles, 200 bxs palm soap.
50 bxs Olean soap, 200 do star candles.
30 bxs sperm candles, 50 do Castle soap.
300 bxs shaving soap, 100 cks Boston saleratus.
200 bxs starch, 200 bbls Wilmington tar.
15 bbls linseed oil, 100 bxs chocolate.
250 bxs fine crackers, 50 kegs bar lead.
500 bags drop shot, 100 do buck shot.
1000 reams cap and letter paper, 3000 do wrapping do.
100 reams tea paper, 100 bxs lemon syrup.
1000 bags dairy salt, 1000 do G. A. do, 200 do L. B. do.
600 do 2 hoop buckets, 200 do 3 hoop do.
100 doz half buckets, 300 nests pig's toes, 3 & 8 each.
100 doz zinc wash boards, 150 bxs clothes pins.
2500 well-buckets, 300 bxs block matches.
200 bxs Roman matches, 100 bbls oakum.
200 bbls butter and water crackers, 100 do pitch.
100 bbls rosin, 250 bxs clay pipes, 100 do stone do.
25 cases g'd Turk pipe heads, 25 bbls pearl barley.
200 demijohns, 1 to 5 gallons, 100 cks rice.
10 bbls split peas, 20 bxs British lustre.
100 bxs double refined saleratus.
10 casks Scotch a. e. 25 bbls Mason's blacking.
200 half bbls city and La. S. H. molasses.
800 chests H. H. green and black teas, 400 bxs do do.
100 kgs golden syrup, 500 bxs Va. and Mo. tobacco.
300 bxs cut smok'g tobacco, 100 do cut chewing do.
100 bxs yellow bank do, 20 do Spanish smok'g do.
100 jars Macaboy snuff, 2 bbls Scotch do.
50 M. realia cigars, 20 M. prince do.
50 M. Havana do, 300 boxes meloe do.
200 boxes Cuban Havana cigars do.
100 bbls elder vinegar, 300 kgs rifle powder.
300 kegs blasting powder, 100 cases canister do.
2 million G. D. caps, 100 M. best saltpetre.
200 bags pepper, 100 do allspice, 10 cases nutmegs.
20 bbls cloves, 1500 matts cassia, 20 bbls g'd ginger.
25 bags rice ginger, 100 bxs mustard.
50 canisters mustard, 50 kegs English do.
200 bxs Underwood's pickles, 300 do pepper sauce.
100 bxs tomato catsup, 100 do Cayenne pepper.
300 bxs assorted candy, 10 do rock do.
200 bxs assorted ground spices, 500 doz bed cords.
500 coils Manila cordage assor ed.
10 bbls flax sewing twine, 5000 lbs broom twine.
500 bxs window glass, 7x9 do 10x14.
100 bxs quart flasks, 300 do pt do, 50 do hf pt do.
300 bxs tumblers, 1000 do glass decanters.
200 bxs equal jars, 500 corks S. F. indigo.
5 cases Madras indigo, 1 do Manila do.
10 corks red madder, 50 bbls alum.
50 bbls copperas, 25 do minstone, 1 cks sulphur.
20 bbls chop logwood, 50 bxs extract do.
100 casks carb soda, 5 cks washing do.
10 bbls Epsom salts, 100 bxs black ink.
2 cases white chalk, 25 bbls white.
5 bbls putty, in bladders, 3 do camphor.
50 kegs saltpetre, 1000 doz yeast powders.
15 cases ass'd playing cards, 300 doz brooms.
10 bbls tanners' oil, 50 bales salt Oil.
200 packets brown Java coffee, 50 bbls Jamaica do.
300 bbls N. O. molasses, 500 do city and La. S. H. do.
200 bbls loaf pow'd and crushed sugar.
1500 bags Rio coffee, 400 bags Laguayra coffee.

LIQUORS.
300 bbls rectified whisky, 50 do Bourbon do.
100 bbls Monongah 10 do, 15 do rye do.
100 bbls Am. brandy, 10 do do gin.

Wanted to Hire Immediately!
Good Axe-Men.

TO clear the timber off the line of the Rail Road, from here to Palmyra.
Persons wishing to Contract for Grading Sections on this line, can get a Fair Price per Cubic Yard for doing the same, and Payments made Satisfactory to them by applying to me, at this place or Palmyra.
Hannibal, May 10, 1853.—(dew) M. SIZER.

PLANK ROAD NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the Hannibal, Ralls County and Paris Plank Road Company, will please take Notice that Seventy per cent. of the Capital Stock has been called, and is now due. Those knowing themselves delinquent will pay the same to E. HAWKINS, Treasurer, without delay, and save cost. Suit will be instituted forthwith, against all delinquents.
(my10d10t) JNO. D. DOWLING, President.

For Sale, or Exchange for Hannibal Property.
A TRACT of unimproved land in Monroe county, on Brush Creek, six and seven miles from the towns of Florida and Paris, respectively, containing 240 acres, about one-half prairie, the remainder timber. The land is of excellent quality, has permanent water, and lies in a good neighborhood. It possesses peculiar advantages for a stock farm. Apply to
mch10dew R. NEREDITE, Agent.

Barber's Shop.

PETER JOHNSON,
RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the public. He keeps the best quality of razors, and keeps them sharp. He will always pay strict attention to cleanliness and neatness. He cuts and dresses hair in a style that never fails to please his customers. As a knight of the scissors and razor he yields to none in Hannibal. His charges are reasonably low. As he intends to continue fitting up and improving his establishment, as fast as his means will allow, he hopes to have the patronage of the citizens of Hannibal, whose well known chief characteristic of energy, leads them to desire to see everything on the progressive march. Recollect it is the shop nearest to Hickman's Store. It is on the west side of Main street, two doors north of Bird street.
(ap-23-d-ly)

TAILORING.

JAMES THOMPSON, & JOHN A. LENNON.
The Lime Man, Merchant Tailor.

HAVE associated themselves together for the purpose of carrying on the TAILORING BUSINESS in all its various branches.
On Main street, one door north of the Brady House, and next door to C. W. Bryan's Store.
They have and will keep the best of Journeymen all the time, and will execute Work as Expeditiously, as neatly and as fashionably as they know how.
We will not say we will beat the man that makes the fashion, but will say they will keep as near the pictures as possible.
Mr. Lennon has the largest, best and cheapest stock of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Trimmings and Summer Goods, that Hannibal ever had the good luck to have in it.
If Give us a call gentlemen, you are bound to be suited in my kind, or quality of Goods.
Hannibal, Ap-10-23-1853.—d2m

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.
Commission and Forwarding House.

JOSEPH MCGRIDGE, FRANCIS MCFALL.
McGriddle & McFall,
(Late Twichell & McGriddle.)

Corner Commercial and Pine streets, St. Louis.
CONSIGNMENT and Commission will meet with prompt and personal attention, and liberal cash advances will be given on Consignments or Bills of Lading in hand.
The forwarding and receiving of merchandise and produce will meet with especial care and dispatch; the lowest rates of freight will always be procured, and the expense of storage and drayage as much as possible avoided.

Orders for purchasing filled at the shortest notice and lowest market prices.
REFERENCES:
J. & T. Walsh, {
Page & Bacon, {
Charles, Brown & Co., { St. Louis.
Chute & Valle, {
Denn, King & Co., {
Blow & Martin, { New York.
Frost & Forster, {
Charles A. Meigs, {
T. C. Twichell & Co., New Orleans.

We have an open policy of Insurance, which will cover all shipments to our address, when advised by letter or mail, or when endorsed on bills of lading before, or at the time of shipment.

McGRIDDLE & MCFALL.
St. Louis, Jan. 29, 1853. *3y

Philadelphia Clothing Store, In Commercial Row,

IS A VERY SUPERIOR lot of Clothing of latest styles suitable for Spring and Summer wear. The prices are very low, and the goods are all well selected, and of good material, purchasers cannot fail to be suited. We have Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Carpet Bags, Ladies' Slippers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Gloves, &c.—Cheaply Clothing, but a little of everything else.
I consider it no trouble to show goods, and would be pleased to wait on the people, and be their obedient, humble servant, so far as offering inducements for their money is concerned.
B. CRANSTON, Agent.
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MACKEREL—New Crop. PRIME ARTICLE.

100 BARRELS AND HALF BARRELS,
just now arrived and for sale wholesale (right cheap). by T. R. SELMES.

A Card.

The friends of Temperance are requested to meet at Temperance Hall in Palmyra on the 4th Wednesday in June next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., (being the 22nd day of June,) to organize a County Temperance Society, to meet quarterly at the different parts of the county, to wit: The City of Hannibal, West Ely, Warren, Little Union, Houston, Philadelphia, Taylor's Mill, Palmyra, &c., for the Public discussion of the Maine Liquor Law, and all other subjects connected with the cause of Temperance, that now agitate the Union.

T. H. TATLOW,
EDWARD McCABE,
R. E. ANDERSON,
Committee.

May 12 1853.

GOODS. BOUGHT BEFORE THE RISE!

THE LARGEST and the greatest assortment of goods ever brought to Hannibal, just now received, and will be sold certain. The subscriber would particularly call the attention of his wholesale customers to this fact, and all persons coming to Hannibal to purchase goods will find it greatly to their advantage to call on
ap-23-d-ly T. R. SELMES.

Smith & Dick's New Family Grocery, on Market street.

THEY take this method of informing the citizens of Hannibal and vicinity, that they have opened a new family grocery store on Market street, immediately north of the market house, where they intend keeping all kinds of Groceries suited to the retail trade. We intend keeping on hand all kinds of marketing, and will be pleased to see our friends at any time when they want anything in our line. We have, and will continue to keep Fresh Meats on hand during the winter season. As we have the best opportunity of purchasing Fowls, Vegetables, &c., it will be to every man's interest to call and examine, before purchasing elsewhere, as we will have everything that can be obtained at the market house during the day.
nov27d SMITH & DICK.

TOBACCO PREMIUMS. PLANTERS' WAREHOUSE.

THE regular Annual Premiums for the four best hogsheads of tobacco, the growth of this State, will be awarded on Friday, 17th June next, as follows:
For the first premium hhd. manufacturing tobacco, \$70
" second " " " " 35
" first " " shipping " 50
" second " " " " 25

The Judges will, as formerly, be selected by the Planters, or their agents.
It is desirable that tobacco intended for competition, should be shipped so as to arrive in St. Louis a week previous to the day of sale and be marked "Premium."
All tobacco consigned to us will be covered by our policy of insurance, by writing "insured" on the bill of lading, at \$15 per hhd., where no particular amount is specified. BERTHOUD & SON, Proprietors.
(ap-14-d-w-2m)

RAILROAD DEPOT LOCATED!

It is not yet determined where.
But C. W. BRYAN wants
\$10,000 in Gold,
At the St. Louis Store, for which he will give in exchange,
Filley's Celebrated Charter Oak and Pioneer Cook Stoves,
At the Lowest Cash Price.
St. Louis Store St. re, Main Street, two doors North of the Brady House. C. W. BRYAN.
(mch22-d-w6m)

DON'T READ THIS!

WE the undersigned, having used Giles F. Filley's Celebrated
"CHARTER OAK"
"AIR-TIGHT,"
Cooking Stove, Manufactured by Filley of St. Louis, and sold by
C. W. BRYAN,
Of Hannibal, Mo.,
Take pleasure in recommending them to the public as superior in point of draft, economy of fuel, convenience and ease of regulation, to any Air-Tight Cook Stove which we have ever seen used.
M. F. Robinson, John Partridge,
William Shout, P. Bealy,
J. P. Clark, John Withers,
Gardner Shultz, Dr. M. F. Brown.
(ap-7-d-ly)

JUST RECEIVED,

And for sale at the "Lane Building" corner of Main and Bird streets,
ALL KINDS OF GARDEN SEEDS—Onion sets; Blue grass and timothy seeds; Clover seed by the barrel or bushel. A general assortment of Groceries, Wooden and Willow Ware, Brooms, Cotton Yarns; Cotton batting. All kinds of Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Figs, and a host of articles not mentioned here; Likewise, a thousand things that is not here for sale. Axioms to sell all for CASH UP AND THE MONEY DOWN. Like to forget one thing, the Eagle Mills flour is here too! mari5d1f T. JACKSON.

Flour! Flour! Flour!

Arreua Mill.

FARMERS AND MERCHANTS coming to Hannibal with the intention of selling wheat and buying flour, would do well to call and see us before selling or purchasing elsewhere. Remember the big stone Mill on Bird, between Main and Third streets. Give us a call.
A. S. ROBARDS & SON.
L. N. B. Our Flour is sold nowhere else but at the Mill. Every sack and barrel is branded with our name on it.
mch10d1f "A. S. ROBARDS & SON."

Cheapest and Best Writing Ink.

L. FRITTINGHAM & BRO. are now manufacturing Black Writing Ink of a superior quality, which they sell very cheap—thirty cents a dozen casks, or five cents a pint. Steel pens may be left standing in this ink any length of time without corroding.
P. S.—At wholesale, they will sell it at \$10 a barrel.
(mch-23-d-11)

Daguerreotypes! Daguerreotypes!!

W. P. PITTS.
Resident Daguerrean Artist, would simply remind the citizens of Hannibal and surrounding country that he is still taking pictures at his Gallery on Main street, over Willson's hardware store, and would inform them, that from recent additions to his stock, and his increased facilities, he is now prepared to take pictures in a style far superior to any heretofore taken in this city, and at reduced prices. Call and examine.
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J. H. & T. A. McDANNOLE,
ATTORNEYS AT LAW,
HANNIBAL, MO.